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App. No. : 09/895,558

Filed : June 30, 2001

For : SOLENOID VALVE HAVING A YOKE WITH
YOKE PINS AND A CLAPPER ARMATURE

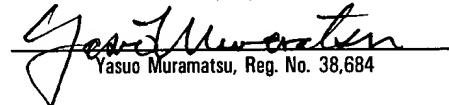
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Transmitted herewith is a response to the office action in the above-identified utility application.

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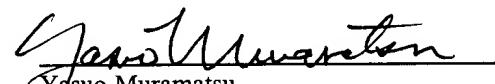
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one month (\$55 small entity)
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Enclosed are:

Amendment and marked-up version thereof showing changes made in sixteen (16) pages.
 Substitute specification under 37 CFR 1.125(b) with marked-up specification showing changes made.
 Request for approval of drawing changes in two (2) pages.
 Separate sheet of Abstract after amendment.
 Certified copy of German Patent Application No. 100 34 033.4 under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d).
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AMENDMENT

Hon. Commissioner
of Patents and Trademarks
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Dear Sir:

This amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action
mailed September 11, 2002 from the United States Patent and
Trademark Office for the above-identified patent application.
Please make the following changes:

IN THE DRAWINGS:

Applicant has filed concurrently herewith a request for
approval of drawing changes in which a reference numeral "4.2" in
Fig. 1 is changed to --4.3-- to be consistent with the description
in the specification.

IN THE ABSTRACT:

The abstract of the disclosure has been replaced with the
following: